

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

“Promoting Health and Wellness for all Arizonans”

Chief Medical Officer

Arizona State Hospital

Location: 501 N 24th St., Phoenix, AZ 85008

COME WORK WITH US! The Arizona State Hospital (ASH) is hiring passionate and dedicated individuals looking to make a difference. We provide direct patient care and individualized treatment with the belief that all individuals can live a life filled with meaning and purpose. The Hospital operates 24 hours per day, 365 days per year.

To learn more about the ASH [CLICK HERE](#)

JOB SUMMARY

The Arizona State Hospital is seeking a seasoned leader with extensive inpatient psychiatric experience and a demonstrated commitment to providing evidence-based, recovery-oriented, and trauma-informed care. Under general direction of the Hospital Superintendent (Chief Executive Office), the Chief Medical Officer (CMO) is responsible for the clinical operation of the Arizona State Hospital, and in this capacity is responsible for the direct oversight of all medical services (psychiatric and primary care and the allied health services departments). This is a rewarding opportunity to work with an excellent team of committed professionals who care deeply about our work and the individuals we serve.

What will I be doing in this job?

- Overseeing medical, psychiatric, and allied professionals to ensure that quality care is provided to patients
- Providing consultation to the clinical staff and the CEO on admissions, discharges, referrals to the Psychiatry Security Review Board
- Providing consultation/direction to the clinical staff on policies, procedures, and medical-legal issues
- Implementing educational programs for all levels of staff
- Ensuring that the clinical staff are compliant with quality processes, including performance improvement projects and all relevant regulatory processes
- Coordinating with the Medical Staff Coordinator to ensure accurate and timely completion of medical staff credentialing, privileging, and peer review processes

What does this job require?

- Broad knowledge of the principles and practices of general medicine, psychiatry, allied services, and public health; hospital administration; community resources; federal and state laws pertaining to care and treatment of mental health conditions; and medical education
- Must be familiar with hospital and departmental procedures and policies and mental health laws and regulations
- Knowledge of the quality assurance and performance improvement in an inpatient psychiatric setting
- Documented participation in accredited training and clinical experience and certified by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology
- Experience serving as the administrator of numerous licensed clinicians in a large hospital setting
- Skills in all aspects of clinical psychiatry with knowledge about other clinical disciplines
- Experience as an educator, leader and administrator to clinical and non-clinical staff
- Knowledge of Performance Management (PM), and Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) and Lean methodologies

Qualifications?

The ideal candidate will have a:

- Doctoral degree from an accredited School of Medicine or approved School of Osteopathic Medicine; completion of an approved internship, and residency

- License to practice medicine in Arizona granted by the Arizona Medical Board or the Arizona State Board of Osteopathic Examiners
- Five years post-residency experience in the practice of psychiatry and leadership experience in the administration of psychiatric hospital programs

Licenses and Certifications?

- A State Hospital employee must be able to obtain a valid Level One Fingerprint Clearance Card pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1758.07.
- Driving is required for State Business.
 - Employees who drive on state business require possession of and the ability to retain a current, valid state-issued driver's license appropriate to the assignment. Employees who drive on state business are subject to driver's license checks, must maintain acceptable driving records and must complete any driver training (See Arizona Administrative Code R2-10-207.12).

To submit your resume click the *APPLY NOW* button below

BENEFITS

The State of Arizona provides an excellent comprehensive benefits package including:

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| - Affordable medical and dental insurance plans | - Defined retirement plan |
| - Paid vacation and sick time | - Award winning Infant at Work program |
| - 10 paid holidays per year | - Credit union membership |
| - Wellness program and plans | - Transit subsidy |
| - Life insurance | |
| - Short/long-term disability insurance | |

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information on State benefits

ASH Mission

Provide evidence-based, recovery-oriented, and trauma-informed care to the individuals receiving care in order to facilitate their successful transition to the least restrictive alternative possible.

ASH Vision

Quality, Compassion, and Excellence in the Provision of Care.

ADHS Mission

To promote, protect and improve the health and wellness of individuals and communities in Arizona.

ADHS Vision

Health and Wellness for all Arizonians

All Arizona state employees operate within the [Arizona Management System](#) (AMS), an intentional, results-driven approach for doing the work of state government whereby every employee reflects on performance, reduces waste, and commits to continuous improvement with sustainable progress. Through AMS, every state employee seeks to understand customer needs, identify problems, improve processes, and measure results. State employees are highly engaged, collaborative and embrace a culture of public service.

Arizona State Government is an EOE/ADA Reasonable Accommodation Employer.

Having trouble applying for this position?

Email HRIShelpdesk@azdoa.gov or call 602-542-4700 for assistance.